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The President Says

Merry Christmas!

May each of you find the joy that comes from bringing happiness to others,—the satisfaction that follows a year well spent,—the opportunity to show your gratitude for health and happiness.

May the season be one that renews and refreshes—a time of clear thinking and sound living—when one keeps well this side of confusion in mind, and well on the safe side in matters that affect one's health.

May each of you see and enjoy your family and your friends, and when you come back,

A Happy New Year!

UEL W. LAMKIN
President

College Representatives Will Attend National Student Federation Meeting

Bob Turner and Marjory Stone Are Maryville Delegates.

Will Go During Holidays

New Brunswick, New Jersey, Is Meeting Place; Plan to Travel With Surreys.

Robert Turner, president of the student body, and Marjory Stone, vice-president, will leave Maryville, December 20, for New York and New Brunswick, New Jersey, where they will attend a meeting of the National Student Federation.

They will go to New York with Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Surrey. They plan to arrive in New York about December 23, where they will spend three or possibly three and one half days, leaving New York on December 27, the day that the convention opens. After the convention closes, December 31, Miss Stone and Mr. Turner will return to New York where they will stay until January 2. They plan to return to Maryville by January 5.

The program as listed in the "N. S. F. A. Reporter," publication of the National Student Federation of America, includes not only lectures but informal discussions and social affairs as well.

Following registration of delegates, Friday, December 27, the opening session of the federation will be held in the Chapel of the New Jersey College for Women. The time at this meeting will be devoted to addresses of welcome and explanation of conference plans.

At 12:30 there will be a luncheon in Cooper Hall. The afternoon will be divided among regional meetings, meeting of commission chairmen, and other meetings.

Because of the fact that the International Student Service Conference is meeting at New Jersey College during the time that the National Student Conference is being held, it will be possible to hold several joint plenary sessions when these will be beneficial.

Saturday will be largely spent in commission meetings. The bulletin received by the delegates of this College states that there will be a division in all commission meetings distinguishing large schools from small, thus allowing both to gain the most from these sessions.

Among the distinguished speakers who will be heard Saturday are Miss Dorothy Thompson, and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

On Sunday, December 29, delegates will attend chapel at 11 o'clock. The leader of this meeting will be Rev. Robert Mackie. The afternoon session will convene at 2 o'clock for a joint session with the International Student Service, Mr. Aubrey Williams, National Director of the N. Y. A., will be chairman of this meeting.

For Monday morning, there is scheduled a discussion of the N. S. F. A.'s future program. The closing banquet is to be held from 4 until 7 o'clock Monday evening.

The National Student Federation convention will close Tuesday at noon.

Notice!

Two positions as assistant Cheer Leaders are now vacant. These positions will be filled from the student body. Any one wishing to try out for said positions must have his or her name filed with the Student Senate by Thursday, January 9, 1941. Selections will be made as to merit displayed during try-outs.

Bob Turner
President Student Senate

Virgil Elliott, Former Editor, Married Tuesday

Miss Wilma Robertson, daughter of Mrs. W. H. Robertson of Los Angeles, formerly of Fillmore, was married at 6 o'clock Tuesday, December 17, to Virgil Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Elliott of Barnard. The single ring ceremony was performed at the parsonage of the Christian church with Rev. Sherman B. Moore officiating. The attendants were Miss Lois Ellen Wessling, Godfrey Hochbaum and Werner Herz.

Mr. Elliott is a graduate of the Fillmore high school and received her sixty hour certificate from the College in 1937. The bridegroom received his Bachelor of Science degree from the College in 1940. He was active in Y. M. C. A., International Relations Club, and Independent Club, and served as editor of the Northwest Missourian. He is a correspondent for the Kansas City Journal Post.

The couple will be at home at 504 North Buchanan street. A dinner was served after the ceremony at the D'Andrea Cafe for the wedding party.

Cast Tryouts for Play Held by O'Neillians

Tryouts for "The Dover Road", a three act comedy by A. A. Milne, have been completed, and a double cast has been chosen for most of the main characters. Practices are already under way, and the O'Neillians expect to have the play ready by the early part of February.

The story deals with a Mr. Latimer who makes it his hobby to intercept eloping couples and keep them at his house for a week in order that they may become more closely acquainted with each other before breaking the existing marriage knot.

Faculty Will Vacation in Divers Points

Destinations Are Scattered Between Both Coasts and Both Borders.

The Christmas vacation means a trip to many members of the faculty. Among those who will leave Maryville for the holidays is Dr. Anna M. Painter, who plans to spend her vacation in Meadville, Pennsylvania, with her brother.

She will also attend a meeting of the Modern Language Association in Boston.

Misses Katherine and Margaret Franken will go to their home in Norborne.

Miss Mattie M. Dykes will spend her Christmas vacation with her family in King City.

Mr. Bert Cooper plans to spend Christmas Day with his brother-in-law, at Graham. The remainder of his vacation he will spend here in Maryville.

Miss Margaret Owen plans to divide her time during Christmas holidays between her home in Clinton and visiting in Columbia.

Miss Mary E. Keith will go to Kirkwood, a suburb of St. Louis, to visit her brother, Mr. F. C. Keith. During her vacation she will also visit her sister, Mrs. A. F. Nelson at Farmington.

Miss Carrie Hopkins plans to visit relatives in Lincoln, Nebraska, during the holidays.

Mr. Robert Main and Mrs. Main, will leave December 20, for California where they will spend the holidays visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Main, who was Queen of the Rose Festival at Pasadena last year, will have a part in the festivities again this year. They plan to leave California to return about January 1.

Miss Eileen Elliott plans to spend a part of the time during her vacation, with her sister, Mrs. Henry Snow, at Grayson. The remainder of her vacation will be spent with her brother in Kansas City and in visiting at Jefferson City and St. Louis.

Miss Dora B. Smith will spend her Christmas vacation in Liberty, with her parents.

Miss Janet Leeder will go to her home in Columbus, Ohio, for the holidays.

Miss Day Weems will go to visit her family in Tennessee during the Christmas vacation.

Many faculty members will remain in Maryville during the Christmas season. Mr. E. A. Davis is one who plans to be at home here in town. Dr. Anthony will also spend his vacation at his home here.

Dr. Hale, Miss Blue, Mr. Rickenbrode, Mr. C. E. Wells, Miss Luellie Brumbaugh, Miss Chloe Miller, will furnish clothing and food.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1940

Campus Dons Holiday Dress



Merry Christmas

From the Staff of the
Northwest Missourian

Dormitory Hangs Christmas Greens

Ceremony Follows an Old English Custom; Many Participate.

With a white mantle of snow covering every object out-of-doors, and a fire laid in the fire place, a typical setting was arranged for the "Hanging of the Greens." This ceremony was observed Sunday afternoon at Residence Hall at 4:00 o'clock. Two beautifully decorated Christmas trees were placed on each side of one of the openings, and over the fireplace greens and colored lights had been placed.

A further decorative effect was produced by the formal dress of all those participating except the revelers. They appeared in gay, peasant garb, adding variety to the scene.

The program opened with the singing of Christmas Carols by the Women's Ensemble, directed by Miss Marian Kerr. Virginia Thomas read the ritual of the "Hanging of the Greens," introducing first the Queen of Misrule, Jenila Atkins, who brought in a group of revelers to present an Irish folk dance, typifying the spirit of play of the Christmas season.

Mary Virginia Beck read the scriptural portion of the service.

Emmett Lawson led the congregational song service. Virgil Blackwelder gave a trumpet solo, "The Lost Chord."

Scripture was read by Wallace Oursler, at Bethany, and Kinsell Coulson, at Grant City.

Adresses were given by Marion Moyes and John Carl Dunlap. A piano solo and all accompaniments were played by Andrew Johnson. Byron Stevenson and Forrest Barnes also participated.

The group was welcomed by the Reverend Mr. Ward at Bethany, and by the Reverend Mr. Cunningham at Grant City.

The team was given a cordial welcome and a most attractive dinner at Bethany and supper at Grant City.

Those who made the trip in the College bus were: Leland Hamilton, Bedford, Iowa; Marion Moyes, Stanley Star; John Carl Dunlap, Fairfax, Virginia; Virgil Blackwelder, Concord, North Carolina; Andrew Johnson, Cameron; Emmett Lawson and Buford Elliott, Osborne; Forrest Barnes and Kinsell Coulson, Grant City; Byron Stevenson, Tarkio; W. J. Cotton, Forest City; Ellis Reynolds, Agency; Wallace Oursler, Maryville; Lloyd Latta, Albany; and the driver, Ted Adkins.

Following the idea of an old English custom, two revelers bearing lighted brands came in and lighted the Yule log. Miss Thomas explained the custom.

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College Gospel Team Makes Trip to Bethany

The College Gospel Team started its eleventh year when it presented a program at the Methodist Church in Bethany at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, December 15, and at the Baptist Church in Grant City, at 7:30 o'clock that evening.

Leland Hamilton, as acting chairman of the group, had charge of the program, which consisted of musical numbers, talks, and prayers given by the group.

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Only colleges in the country antedating the University of Pennsylvania are the College of William and Mary and Harvard and Yale universities.

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Faculty Gives Formal Christmas Party



United, Consolidated, Facultated, Amalgamated, Unharmonic, Some-phony Orchestra

The Northwest Missouri State Teachers College faculty members held their annual Christmas dinner, Tuesday evening, December 17, at seven o'clock, at the Maryville Country Club. President Uel W. Lamkin gave a short talk.

As the guests entered the dining room the pungent odor of fresh pine greeted them. White candles with heaps of fruit, nuts, and candy surrounding them were flanked by little sprigs of pine and gilded pine cones to form charming table decorations.

A concert was presented by the United Consolidated Facultated Amalgamated Unharmonic Some-phony Orchestra of Maryville, Missouri. This concert was presented (Continued on page 2)

President Lamkin Announces Way Student Center Is to be Managed

Training School Has Christmas Assembly

The Horace Mann High School had a Christmas assembly Thursday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

The program included the scripture reading by Marjorie Mitchell, an address by the Reverend Mr. Hackman, of the First Methodist Church, on "The Meaning of Christmas."

The High School musical organizations furnished the following numbers:

Girls' Glee Club

Christmas Night

.....German Folk Song

Dr. DeJarnette, conductor

Christmas Caroling Song

.....Traditional English

Boys' Glee Club

Good King Wenceslas

.....Traditional

We Three Kings

.....Reverend John Hopkins

Mr. Leslie Somerville, conductor

Miss Ruth Millikan, accompanist

Chorus

O Come All Ye Faithful

.....John Reading

Silent Night

.....Franz Gruber

Mr. Leslie Somerville, conductor

Christmas Greeting

.....Milton Lusch

Dr. DeJarnette, conductor

Dr. Humberd III

Dr. Charles Dean Humberd, Barnard, a former student of the College and one time College physician here in the St. Francis hospital

seriously ill from a severe case of influenza. His condition at present, although still serious, is improved.

In the afternoon the students will be shown about the campus and through the new buildings. They will be entertained at dinner in Residence Hall at 6:30.

At 7:00 p. m. the Park College students will present a candle light worship service in Social Hall to portay some of the work Park College groups have been doing. There will be short addresses by speakers from their student body. Carl Allison, chairman of the Park College program committee, has charge of this program. This program will be of interest to every student, and the "Y" groups hope that a large number will be present.

Immediately following the service, Dick Eriksen and others of Park College will lead the group in a folk dancing party in the West Library. This activity is one of the specialties of Park College and promises to appeal to all STC students.

In the near future "Y" groups from STC plan to go to Park College and give an exchange program. It is the first time that an event of this sort has been tried. It is hoped that such an exchange will give each college a better idea of the other and that the spirit of brotherhood will bring the two groups closer.

The Senior class reports its business as follows: of the two candidates, Richard Miller and Stanley Miller, Richard Miller was elected as one of the two-term senators; and of the other two, Byron Stevenson and Mary Madget, Byron Stevenson was elected as the second two-term senator.

In the Junior class election those nominated for two-term senators were: Wallace Oursler, Edgar Boner, Marvin Gench, and Verlin Powers. Mr. Powers could not qualify because he was not in school last quarter. Wallace Oursler was elected.

The Sophomores nominated the following for the first two-term kan, and Miss Gladys Bookman, (Continued on page 3)

Whole of Southeast Corner of First Floor Is Being Converted into Rooms Which Are to Be Under Student Senate Supervision.

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INFLUENZA

The "Flu" has become a loosely used term for almost every respiratory trouble, but influenza means a very serious infection of the virus type. In this respect it resembles smallpox. It spreads the same way, although the symptoms are very different.

So far this year we have had no characteristic cases of influenza. The symptoms are very plain and marked, the onset sudden. There is nasal discharge or inflammation of the throat and bronchi accompanied by fever, great muscular soreness, and severe neuralgic pain.

There is no successful vaccination to prevent the onset and no specific cure. The disease must run its course. Here, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." It is simple and should be easy to take. Check up on your general physical health; correct the mistakes in your living habits. If necessary, consult your doctor before you are stricken; and follow the plain rules of hygiene and health. They can be summarized in a very few words—plenty of rest, fresh air and mild exercise, a well-balanced diet, and probably the most important of all, freedom from worry.

If you are thus prepared and you are stricken with influenza, immediately go to bed. Conserve all your energy and give nature a chance. You will probably soon be well and safe from the unfortunate complications that may last through life.

F. R. Anthony

Bulletin Board

Use of Bookstore

For your information, there will appear in the Northwest Missourian, a series of articles dealing with the use of the book store. You will learn what supplies are kept there, how to check out books quickly and without mistakes, and in general, the use students should make of the College bookstore.

Watch for this informative series of articles, the first of which will appear soon after the holidays.

Calendar

Monday, January 6—Sigma Phi meets in the Gym at 7:30.

Tuesday, January 7—Green and White Peppers meet in the Gym at 5:00.

Tuesday, January 7—First group of Dance Club meets at 7:00 in the Gym.

Monday, January 6—Christmas vacation ends at 8:00 o'clock.

Monday, January 6—Scavenger Hunt at Residence Hall at 10:30.

Monday, January 6—Northwest Missourian Staff meeting at 4:00 in room 303.

Monday, January 6—Art Club meets in room 401 at 7:30.

Tuesday, January 7—Second Group of Dance Club meets in the Gym at 7:45.

Tuesday, January 7—Student Senate meets in room 226 at 7:00.

Tuesday, January 7—The Social Science-International Relations Club meets in Social Hall at 7:30.

Wednesday, January 8—Writers' Club meets at Miss Dykes' home at 7:30.

Wednesday, January 8—Pi Omega Pi meets in Social Hall at 4:00.

Wednesday, January 8—W. A. A. meets in the Gym at 5:00.

Wednesday, January 8—Opening convocation address in the Assembly by President Uel W. Lankin.

Wednesday, January 8—A. A. U. W. meeting.

Thursday, January 9—W. A. A. meets in the Gym at 5:00.

Thursday, January 9—Newman Club meets in room 101 at 7:30.

Thursday, January 9—"M" Club meets in the Gym at 7:30.

Thursday, January 9—Industrial Arts Club meets in the Industrial Arts Building at 7:30.

Thursday, January 9—Northwest Missourian Staff meeting in room 303 at 4:00.

Friday, January 10—Basketball game—Maryville vs. Rolla.

Friday, January 10—All College dance by Dance Club in West Library from 9:00 to 12:00.

From the Dean

God bless Santa Claus for all he stands for in the lives of little men and women everywhere, and for all the opportunities he gives older men and women.

Merry Christmas.

J. W. Jones

Letters to Santa Claus

My Dear Santa Claus:

I'm a sweet little blonde girl with a heart brimming over with joy because you are the sweetest man I know (next to Kenny) so I'm going to make my list very, very short.

Just bring me lots of good things to eat and anything you think is pretty and a new volume of Shakespeare because Kenny and I have almost finished ours.

Put in an extra present for Mr. Cooper because he is such a sweet boss and the rest of the office force, too. I guess that's all from little me.

Your little blue-eyed friend,
Marjorie Stone.

Dear Old Man Santa:

I've worried my few hairs grey over this letter because I'm just too short on this line of work.

Be very, very good to my practice teachers who try so hard and all the sweet little kiddies in the Horace Mann.

Now for myself, I'm what you call a big game hunter and you can drop down my chimney the biggest and best stream-lined gun you have in stock—then I'll be happy.

Bring the rest of my family all the good things you can spare.

Thank you, old man.

Your nature friend,
Herbie Deterich.

Dear Santa:

Christmas brings me and my folks home so much joy I can hardly wait.

My list isn't very big this year because you have pleased all of us in the years past. Before my list gets too big I want to put in a good word for little Juney because she is so busy teaching her little kids she may forget it is Christmas.

Your friend,
Bob Turner.

P. S.: Bring all my Senate members lots of good things too, so they'll be full of good ideas.

Dear Old Friend:

I'm a satisfied young man this Christmas. I have my little Betty (Utter) and she is all I could ask for, don't you think?

Well maybe it wouldn't be asking too much to have you save us our little table in the book store so we can study together.

Oh, yes, be sure and go to North Carolina and leave my poor little soldier brother Bob a lot of good things to eat.

Your satisfied friend,
Dick Stephenson.

Faculty Will Vacation

In Divers Points

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Mr. A. J. Caulfield, and Miss Katherine Helwig, will all be at home here in town during vacation.

Mr. R. E. Baldwin will also spend the Christmas vacation in Maryville. He and Mrs. Baldwin expect to have out-of-town guests.

Mr. John Geiger will spend his Christmas vacation in Maryville, and at the National Music Teacher's Convention in Cleveland, Ohio.

Dr. Blanche Dow will go to Liberty, to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. W. Dow. Miss Olive De Luce will accompany Dr. Dow. Miss Dow, who is a member of the National Council of the American Association of University Professors, also plans to attend the meeting of that committee in Chicago, December 30, 31, and January 1.

Mr. Sterling Surrey will drive to New York to spend the Christmas vacation visiting relatives and friends in southern Ohio.

Miss Bowman will spend Christmas day in St. Joseph and the remainder of her vacation at her home in Wathena, Kansas.

Other faculty members who plan to spend their Christmas holidays in Maryville are: Mr. Hubert Garrett, Miss Hettie M. Anthony, Mr. T. H. Cook, Mr. Herbert Deterich, Mr. Norvel Sayler, Mr. Henry Foster, Mr. Valk, and Mr. M. W. Wilson will all spend their vacations here in Maryville.

What Your Senate Does

OFFICERS

Robert Turner	President
Marjorie Stone	Vice-President
Mary Frances McCaffrey	Secretary
Rex Steffey	Treasurer
Ted Young	Parliamentarian

CLASS REPRESENTATIVES

Sponsors—Mr. Surrey and Mr. Wright.	
Senior Senators—Marjorie Stone, Vaughn Means, Rex Steffey, and Harry Darr.	
Junior Senators—Mary Frances McCaffrey, Wallace Oursler, and Ted Young.	
Sophomore Senators—Priscilla Ann Feagans, Jack Garrett, and Jack Hawkins.	

THESE ABSENT

Harry Darr and Rex Steffey.

MINUTES OF MEETING DEC. 17.

Wallace Oursler moved that the two vacancies for assistant cheerleaders be opened to the entire school for tryouts. The motion was seconded and carried.

Bob Elsminger was nominated and elected as the cheer-leader over his three assistants.

Marjorie Stone moved that the question of uniforms for the cheerleaders be given to a committee. The motion was seconded and carried. The committee members are Ted Young, chairman; Jack Garrett, and Marjorie Stone.

Ted Young made the motion that each representative of the College to the Student Federation meeting be allowed \$21.00 for registration fees and \$10.00 for expenses. The motion was seconded and carried.

Jack Hawkins moved that the request of the band for reserved seats at the basketball games be granted. The motion was seconded and carried.

The meeting was then adjourned.

The discussions had to do mainly with the vacancies of cheer-leaders and problem of uniforms for them. Plans were made for conducting the class elections Wednesday afternoon.

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Education, America's Hope



The Stroller...

It seems funny to see Bob Taylor back in town dating Pat Farris but that couldn't be Bob! No, he couldn't be back. It looks as if Patricia has found a new love.

It seems since the dance last Friday night P. A. Faegans has discovered something that means more to her, maybe, than Erman.

The Stroller believes in Santa Claus! Here's why: he got this letter through the mail with several good jokes in it.

"Dear Stroller:

You may not be able to use any of these items, but anyhow I thought I'd help you out a little. If you want more, drop a little hint in your column I'll see what I can do.

"Your friend,
(?)"

To which the Stroller responds,

"Dear (?):

"Here's the little hint!"
Yours hopefully,
The Stroller."

"To have a date or not to have a date—that is the question" which seems to be the problem Adaline Wilson has—especially when a person whose name the Stroller will not mention calls her several times a week.

The Stroller must have been on the right track several weeks ago when he said that Annette Crowe was interested in aviation, for when she received an aviator doll at the dorm Christmas party the other night, she immediately christened it David, and seemed very happy that she "had received an aviator for Christmas."

And speaking of aviators and such, let's see what Mary Jane Johnson can tell about the mistletoe growing on trees in Georgia. Of course, she's never been there, but the Stroller understands that she got her information from a good source.

From what the Stroller hears the 11b music students find it is better to wait on the teacher for class rather than to leave after ten minutes have elapsed.

The Stroller believes Mr. Sayler has a wonderful control over his vocal reactions to physical setbacks if his silence after dropping that weight on his foot during Physical Science class last Monday could be taken as any indication.

It seems certain girls in College that left good impressions with members of the National Guard are getting peevish at the Stroller for printing a mild account of their daily routine here at school. (When the cat's away the mice will play.)

The Stroller was surprised at the number of upperclassmen in Mr. Cooper's Freshman Orientation class last Tuesday. Maybe they are trying to Honor the course.

Faculty Formal Christmas Party

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under the sponsorship of C. B. S., E. S. Q., P. D. Q., and I. O. U. Mr. Lon E. Wilson was the announcer and Mr. J. N. Sayler was the commentator. That eminent reliable Russian Maestro, Barber Tschaikowskian, namely, Miss Jacinta Kampmeier, conducted the orchestra.

The members of the orchestra are: Miss Marian Kerr, piano; Miss Inez Lewis, Miss Mattie Dykes, and Miss Frances Aldrich, violins; Mr. John Geiger, bass; Mr. W. N. Stalcup and Mr. R. E. Baldwin, brass whistles; Dr. Albert Blumenthal, Bob White; Mrs. J. W. Jones, Miss Eileen Elliott, Miss Miriam Wagner, Mr. Herbert Deterich, and Dr. Steven S. DeJarnette, trumpets; Miss Winchell Ann Carruth and Miss Mary Fisher, triangles; Dr. J. W. Jones and Mr. F. T. Howard, cymbals; Miss Dorothy True, drums; Miss Margaret Owen, washboard; Miss Mary Keith, bells; Dr. Anna Painter, tambourine; Miss Janet Leeder, Mr. Sterling Surrey, and Mr. Hyland Milner, cuckoos; Mr. Robert Mahr and Miss Marian Lippert, rattles; Miss Day Weems, castanets.

Costumes added not a little to the appearance of the orchestra. All were in formal dress with fetching hats made from phonograph records held in place with gay ribbons or scarfs. Somebody suggested that the head-dress suggested that the performance was "off the record."

The number played by the orchestra was Joseph Haydn's "Children's Symphony." The announcer made it clear that many college musicians had been brought out of Haydn (hidin') to play Haydn seek for the notes.

The Razwell Sisters, the Misses Janet Leeder, Velma Cass, and Barbara Zoller, were the soloists who accompanied the orchestra.

They sang "Jingle Bells" in close harmony. They appeared first on the program. The announcer explained that they were the encore, given first so that the audience could enjoy the music while the performers would not be worried.

You Should Know

Missouri had 26,369 public-school teachers in 1939-40. Of this total number 17,941 were employed in high-school districts; and 8,428 in rural-school districts.

Bearcats Win Season's Second Game

Hull and Hutcheson Share Scoring Honors in Upper Iowa Game.

Maryville Wins By Unexpected Margin

Throwing off the spell that must have been cast over them last Friday the Thirteenth when they were defeated by Drake, the Bearcats opened their home season by defeating Upper Iowa University, Monday night, by a score of 43-12.

Harold Hutcheson, senior letterman, marked up the first 4 points when he sank two counters in the first three minutes of play. "Pinky" Salmon and Harold Hull followed these with a field goal apiece. Then Hutcheson came in with another 2 points. Hull scored and Hutcheson rang up 4 more points. Hull started a scoring spree and ended up with 5 points.

In the meantime Upper Iowa had scored 2 free throws which made the score stand 21 to 2 in favor of the Bearcats with only about 10 minutes of playing time gone. Coach Stalcup began to substitute until he had Walker, Schottel, Alpert, Wilson, and Gregory in the lineup in place of Hull, Hutcheson, Don Johnson, Eddie Johnson, and Salmon, the latter five of whom had started the game.

The Hawkeye state boys' offensive did not seem to click and they failed to score a single bucket in the first half and converted only 4 free throws. Their defensive was fair but it was almost impossible to stop such shots as the local boys were hitting. The period ended in favor of the Bearcats with a score of 27 to 4.

The five boys who started the game were in the lineup at the beginning of the second half, but after a few minutes they were removed in favor of the reserves. The Upper Iowa boys gained their first basket after the substitutes had been returned to the game. Hense scored the counter and was followed by Webb who rang up 2 more points. Hense scored again in a few minutes, but his goal ended their scoring except for 2 free throws made in the closing minutes of the game.

Hull and Hutcheson tied for scoring honors of the evening. Hull for 12 points and "Hutch" connected for 6 field goals. Something of a surprise to those who have seen him play was the fact that Dale Alderson was held scoreless. He is usually high point man for his team, but he did not seem able to make his shots connect.

The box score:

	Upper Iowa (12)	Drake (31)
Goals	12	18
Foul Fouls	12	12
Salmon	2 0 3	1 1 1
Wilson	0 0 0	1 1 1
Gregory	0 0 1	0 0 1
Tanner	0 0 0	0 0 1
Hull	4 4 0	1 1 0
Hutcheson	1 1 0	2 1 2
Alpert	0 0 0	0 0 1
Thompson	0 0 1	0 0 1
Hicks	0 0 0	0 0 1
E. Myers	1 0 2	0 0 0
J. Johnson	0 0 0	0 0 1
Walker	1 1 1	0 0 0
Total	18 7 14	12 7 9

Missed free throws: V. Rimmer, Webb, Hense, 2; C. Rimmer, 5; Kennie, 3; Salmon, Hull, 3; Alpert, 2; Thompson, D. Johnson; F. Myers; Walker.

Officials: Al Stahl, St. Mary's; Ormin Soph, Warrensburg.

Five new courses have been added to Augustana college's evening school.

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We wish you all the good things in life. A Merry Christmas.

South Side Bakery

We wish you only the best things this 1940 Christmas.

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Gymnasium to Be Improved During Holiday Season

When students and local basketball fans congregate in the gym after the New Year for the Missouri School of Mines game they will see several changes about the court. The gym floor is to be refinished during the vacation. The old finish will be removed and a new coat applied, and the boundary lines and free-throw circles will be repainted. A new style of backboard which is now being constructed will be placed in use on the court. The backboard is somewhat smaller than the ones in present use and has an arched top which has proved very satisfactory in tests. Many of the colleges all over the United States are installing the new boards.

In connection with the refinishing of the gym floor there is to be a little color added to the center jump circle. The small circle is to be painted green and a white M placed inside it.

College High Cubs Open Cage Season in Skidmore

The Horace Mann High School Cubs opened their basketball season last week by participating in the Skidmore Invitation Tournament. They lost their first game to Graham and then advanced through the consolation bracket to take the trophy by defeating the Skidmore "B" team, 31 to 19. Surplus led the scoring for the Cubs with 9 points and Swaney was close behind with four buckets.

The Cubs played their first scheduled game on the Pickering court Tuesday night. The game was a close one from start to finish, but the Cubs were defeated 34 to 37. "Duck" Dowell and Dean Walker, College seniors, are coaching the Cubs this year.

team, but he did not seem able to make his shots connect.

The box score:

	Upper Iowa (12)	Skidmore (34)
Goals	12	18
Foul Fouls	12	12
Salmon	2 0 3	1 1 1
Wilson	0 0 0	1 1 1
Gregory	0 0 1	0 0 1
Tanner	0 0 0	0 0 1
Hull	4 4 0	1 1 0
Hutcheson	1 1 0	2 1 2
Alpert	0 0 0	0 0 1
Thompson	0 0 1	0 0 1
Hicks	0 0 0	0 0 1
E. Myers	1 0 2	0 0 0
J. Johnson	0 0 0	0 0 1
Walker	1 1 1	0 0 0
Total	18 7 14	34 12 10

Missed free throws: V. Rimmer, Webb, Hense, 2; C. Rimmer, 5; Kennie, 3; Salmon, Hull, 3; Alpert, 2; Thompson, D. Johnson; F. Myers; Walker.

Officials: Al Stahl, St. Mary's; Ormin Soph, Warrensburg.

Five new courses have been added to Augustana college's evening school.

University of Minnesota Bach society presents an annual Bach festival.

We wish you all the good things in life. A Merry Christmas.

IDEAL Cleaners

Varsity Football Letters Are Given

Twenty-Seven Men Receive Letters; Largest Number Ever Given.

Twenty-seven Maryville football gridironers, including eight seniors, have been voted letters by the athletic council. This is the largest number to receive letters in the history of the school. The following were awarded letters:

Seniors

Joe Kurtright, Albany, co-captain; Larry Loos, Jackson, co-captain; Dean Walker, Jackson; Wallace Hicks, Henrietta; Andrew Kruse, Ackley, Iowa; Harry Darr, Bethany; Ralph Kurtright, Albany; and Harold Hull, Maryville.

Juniors

Ivan Schottel, King City, captain elect; Donald Paxson, St. Joseph, co-captain elect; Glen Breckenridge, Smithville; Victor Farrel, Grant City; Robert Gregory, Maryville; Tony Rizzo, St. Joseph; Floyd Reno, St. Joseph; Harold Flammang, Sedalia.

Sophomores

Jack Padilla, Stuart, Iowa; Bill Bennett, St. Louis; Neiland Thompson, Helena; William Yasinski, Auburn, Illinois; Paul Wilson, Columbus, Georgia; Roger Wren, Kansas City; Ralph Strange, Smithville; Frank Meyers, Ringsted; Errol Myers, Ringsted.

Freshmen

James Ellison, Raytown; Clifford McClinton, St. Louis.

W. A. A. Basketball Season Opens

W. A. A. basketball's mounting popularity is reflected in the good attendance at the first game of the season. Vida Bernau is sports manager.

At the present time six teams have reported for practice: two varsity villager teams captained by Pat Burke and Maxine Henman; two dormitory teams captained by Charlotte Meyer and Elaine Gosch; a Tri Sig team and an Alpha Sig team with Betty Duncan and Betty Smalley, respectively, as captains.

Anyone interested in coming out for basketball at this time may find a position on one of these teams, or if enough report, new teams will be formed.

Basketball practice is held on

Monday and Thursday nights from 7:00-8:15 at the College Gym.

The only requirement is a sports permit which can be secured from Dr. Anthony.

The National Youth Administra-

tion has already approved state-

wide health projects in 20 states

which are scheduled to begin opera-

tion immediately. By February, the

NYA will have accumulated mass

data on the health of 100,000 young

people, the NYA administrator re-

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Bearcats Have Bad Break With Drake

Maryville dropped the season's opener to the Drake Bulldogs at Des Moines, December 13—Friday the thirteenth—31 to 22. Drake led at halftime 16 to 12.

Quick baskets by Hull and Hutcheson gave the Bearcats a 4 to 0 lead. The first half was nip and tuck, but late in the first half baskets by Milbourn and O'Connor pushed Drake out in front.

The second half was a bitter battle and the play was rough as the lead changed hands every few minutes.

The Bearcat offense began to click at the beginning of the second half, and the Bearcats slipped into the lead as the result of baskets by Hull, Johnson, and Walker. Walt O'Connor, Drake's little Irishman, slipped in a one-handed shot and Drake had a 19 to 18 advantage.

From this point on Drake was out in front. With three minutes to play the shorter Bulldog quintet began to stall.

Lloyd Milbourn topped the scoring of both teams, making four field goals and two free throws for ten points. O'Connor was next with nine markers.

Veteran Don Johnson led the Bearcat scorers with six points, with Jack Salmon starring on defense.

Maryville (22) Drake (31)

G FT P G FT P

Hull 2 0 3 Drake 2 2 1

Walker 1 1 1 Milbourn 4 2 1

Hutcheson 2 0 1 Autry 1 2 2

D. Johnson 2 2 0 O'Connor 4 1 1

Salmon 1 0 2 Barney 0 0 2

Hicks 0 0 0

E. Johnson 1 0 0

Schottel 0 0 0

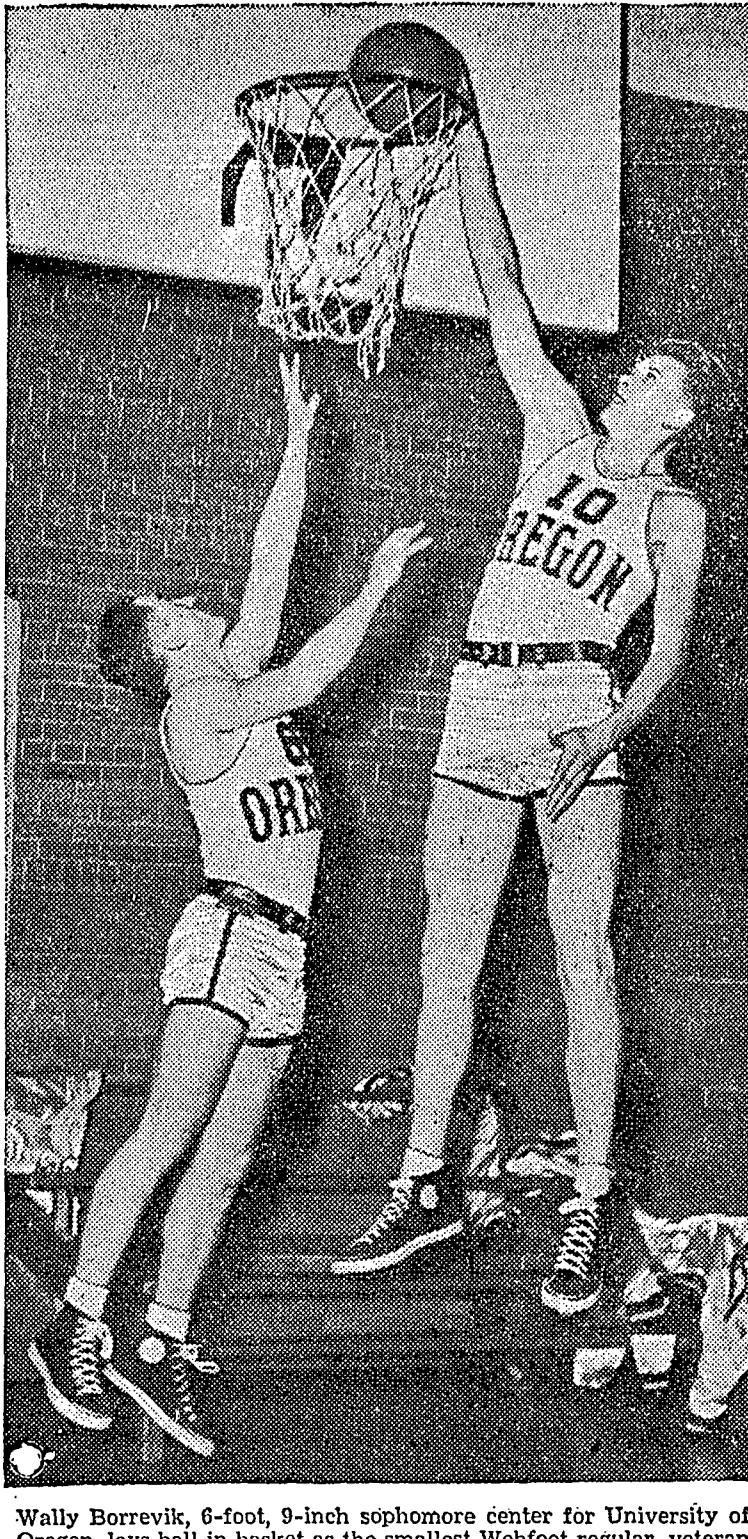
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Big and Little Webfoots



College Basketball Queen to Be Elected in Pep Rally Assembly

Nominations for Queen Will Be Made From Assembly Floor.

Look Magazine Offers Prizes For Pictures

Camera fans in the College should welcome the latest announcement of Look's picture editors with a delighted shout. The editors of Look Magazine are offering \$1,000 in prizes to winners in their new picture-story contest—and the only competitors allowed are college students.

A prize of \$500 will be paid, in cash, for the best picture-story on a college subject. Second prize is \$250, third prize \$100, and there are three \$50 prizes.

By Look Magazine's standards, a picture-story is made up of a series of photographs which tell a definite story. All entries in the contest must be in on or before April 15, 1941, so get out your cameras, and start to work. There's gold in those pictures!



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